

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
	:	Examiner: Chris RoDee
SATOSHI YOSHIDA, ET AL.	)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 1756
Application No.: Not yet assigned	)	
Division of: Appln. No. 09/788,397	:	
filed February 21, 2001	)	
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Filed: Herewith	)	
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For: DEVELOPER, IMAGE-FORMING	)	
METHOD, AND PROCESS	:	
CARTRIDGE	)	August 21, 2003

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND  
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

a) Introductory Comments

Prior to receipt of the first action on the merits, kindly amend the subject application as follows: